

Seminar

# Hong Kong's Changing Tax Landscape

Programme Code: SCPD18110801

# About the topic

As an Associate to the Base Erosion and Profit Shifting (BEPS) initiative, Hong Kong is committed to updating its tax legislation to help implement certain BEPS standards. Recent changes introduced by the Inland Revenue (Amendment) (No. 6) Ordinance 2018, which passed in July 2018 (previously the Inland Revenue (Amendment) (No. 6) Bill 2017), will transform the Hong Kong tax landscape. It will demand a materially higher level of taxpayer transparency unseen before, including the cross border sharing of tax information with other authorities. It will focus on substance as the backbone of taxing rights, potentially creating uncertainty regarding the application of the source principles. An inevitable outcome will be a greater compliance burden for taxpayers, a need to reconsider the supportability of existing arrangements, and an increase in tax enquiries as authorities are provided access to new forms of information.

Highlights of this seminar:

- Analysis of major highlights of the Inland Revenue (Amendment) (No. 6) Ordinance 2018 •
- Reconciling source principles and transfer pricing •
- The impact of changing legislation on acceptable tax structures •
- The impact of changing legislation on tax controversy landscape

## About the event

Date & Time	8 November 2018, Thursday	Speaker		
Venue Fee	<ul> <li>7:00 – 8:30 pm</li> <li>HKICPA training centre,</li> <li>27<sup>th</sup> Floor, Wu Chung House,</li> <li>213 Queen's Road East, Wanchai</li> <li>Taxation Faculty member: HK\$120</li> </ul>	Jo An Yee Member of Budget Proposal 2019/20 Sub-committee, and Technology, Media & Telecommunications Tax Leader - HK & Macau, EY		
	<ul> <li>HKICPA member or student; and IA/ HKIAAT's member or student: HK\$150</li> <li>Non-member: HK\$330</li> </ul>	Martin Richter Transfer Pricing Leader – HK, EY		
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Language	English			
HKICPA CPD credit	1.5 hour (subject to actual attendance)	Jo An Yee Member of Budget Proposal 2019/20 Sub-committee, and		
Rating	Advanced level*	Technology, Media & Telecommunications Tax Leader - HK		
Competency	Taxation*	& Macau, EY		
Participant	Tax practitioners and those who wish to know the latest Hong Kong tax development			
Objective	Provide tax updates from Hong Kong corporate tax and transfer pricing perspectives			
Application deadline	5 November 2018	* Please refer here for descriptions of the various ratings.		



# About the speaker

#### Jo An Yee

## Member of Budget Proposal 2019/20 Sub-committee, and Technology, Media & Telecommunications Tax Leader - HK & Macau, EY

Jo An is a Hong Kong tax partner in Ernst & Young ("EY") specializing in the technology and telecommunication areas and has over 20 years of practical and extensive experience in providing tax advisory and compliance services to top tiered multinational companies. She is currently the Technology, Media & Telecommunications Tax Leader for Hong Kong/Macau and principal key contact for Asia Pacific technology sector - tax.

Jo An has worked on major telecom and technology accounts and has been actively engaged by well-known companies in their fields on their industry-specific tax issues. She has also dealt with senior tax officials from the Inland Revenue Department and contributes to tax related publications and a frequent speaker. She is working in conjunction with Hong Kong Science and Technology Parks Corporation, a statutory body set up by the HKSAR Government, to co-organize a series of tax seminars and is on a mentoring panel to technology start-ups to contribute to the innovation and technology development in Hong Kong, as well as is one of the speakers at the Mobile Game Forum in April 2015.

### Martin Richter Transfer Pricing Leader – HK, EY

Martin is the Partner in charge of EY's transfer pricing practice in Hong Kong, advising clients in both Hong Kong and Mainland China. Martin is based in Hong Kong and has 18 years of transfer pricing experience, gained from Big 4 practices in London, Washington DC, and Hong Kong.

Martin advises on a full range of different transfer pricing project types, including policy design and implementation, tax aligned restructurings, audit defense, advanced pricing agreements, as well as general compliance and documentation. He has deep experience in advising on a multitude of intercompany transaction types, including establishing and supporting unit prices for tangible goods; fees for services; royalties / licenses / franchises for intangibles; and financing costs for financial transactions.

Martin is also experienced in performing transfer pricing restructuring projects, tax effective business transformation projects, as well as dispute resolution assignments, such as APAs, for multinational companies. These studies have been used to assist clients in evaluating their current inter-company pricing policies for planning and compliance purposes, and also to defend clients against potential inter-company adjustments proposed by tax authorities.

In June 2014 Martin concluded the first ever APA in Hong Kong, which was a bilateral agreement between Hong Kong and the Netherlands. Martin also has experience with integrating tax and transfer pricing principles with supply chain planning and business transformations to achieve operational and tax efficiencies. He has led such multidisciplinary projects in various industries at all stages from feasibility to implementation.

## Registration

• Complete online registration by 5 November 2018.

Contact Betsy Liang at 2287 7009 for enquiry.



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